

September 27, 1946.

Dear Francis:

I am sending, under ^{this} ~~expected~~ cover, a draft manuscript of our paper on recombination in *E. coli*. We would appreciate it very much if you would look it over and offer your criticisms. We are also particularly anxious to have Dr. Rhoades read it. Would you ask him to do so on our behalf?

Y10 is giving a little trouble again: I think the stock I was testing is the old one. When I have succeeded in checking the requirements for threonine, leucine and thiamine, I'll send you the transfer. In the meantime, it would probably be all right to use 679-680, wouldn't it, especially for checking the general method?

Sincerely ,

P.S. I know the manuscript is in fairly rough shape, particularly the bibliography. We anticipated changes at your suggestion, and the secretary here is rather tired of it. Our apologies.

*It was finally submitted
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